

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Beaufort County recognizes the need to centralize the operations of the Beaufort County Board of Elections by combining the administrative staff with its technology staff and equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Elections administration offices recently relocated from the Arthur Horne Building to the Beaufort Industrial Village; and

WHEREAS, the electronic voting machines and one staff member remain in the Arthur Horne Building; and

WHEREAS, the County has the opportunity to lease approximately twenty-two hundred (2,200) square feet of office and warehouse space at the Beaufort Industrial Village to store and maintain its electronic voting machines and centralize the total operations of the Board of Elections.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Beaufort County Council hereby authorizes the County Administrator to negotiate and enter into a lease agreement at the Beaufort Industrial Village to store the Board of Elections voting machines and to create additional office space.

Dated this 9th day of January, 2006.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BEAUFORT COUNTY

By: 

Wm. Weston J. Newton, Chairman

ATTEST:


Suzanne M. Rainey, Clerk to Council